

CONCORDIA

STINGERS

Oct. 22, 2002

Top wrestling teams to gather at Concordia

The Concordia University wrestling team will host its prestigious annual tournament Sunday, beginning at 9 a.m., in the Concordia gymnasium on the Loyola campus. Between 100 and 120 wrestlers will gather for the first meet of the university season.

Several of the top Canadian programs will be represented, including Brock - the defending men's and women's university champions. Also competing are University of New Brunswick, Memorial, McMaster, Queen's, University of Toronto and the Mohawk Valley Wrestling Club.

"It will be a good international event," says Concordia veteran coach Victor Zilberman. "Every year it's a good tournament with good wrestling."

Concordia wrestlers to keep an eye on include: Tyler Marghetis, 74 kilos; Tony Ronci, 68 kilos; and Jason Chen, 74 kilos. Also, the 2002 Concordia Female Athlete of the Year, Martine Dugrenier, will compete. However, she will represent the Montreal Wrestling Club. She will rejoin the Concordia team in January.

Finals are tentatively scheduled for 4 p.m.

Several Concordia wrestlers recently competed at an international event - the 2002 Copa Sparta in Puerto Rico on Oct. 11-12. Marghetis finished second in the 74 kilos junior division. Ronci was fourth in the 68 kilos senior division and Chen was 5th in the 74 kilos senior division. Dugrenier was first in the women's 72 kilos category and Tamara Medwidsky, a former Stinger who is completing her MBA, finished second in the 68 kilos weight class.

Men's rugby playoff game at Loyola

With a 58-0 win over ETS on Sunday, the Concordia men's rugby team wrapped up its regular season play with a 6-2 win-loss record and now looks toward the playoffs. The Stingers will host the Bishop's Gaiters on Sunday at 11 a.m. in a QSSF semifinal.

The Stingers won both regular season contests between the teams - 35-8 on Sept. 8 and 16-8 on Oct. 6.

The Stingers can look forward the return of head coach Graeme McGravie. The first-year mentor missed two games while away on a European honeymoon after getting married Oct. 11. He will enjoy his first playoff experience at the university level this Sunday.

The winner of the game advances to the QSSF championship the following weekend. Concordia is the three-time defending champion.

Concordia Athletes of the Week

Leanne Martell of the women's hockey team and **Ammar Bedawieh** of the men's soccer team have been named Concordia Stinger athletes of the week for the period ending Oct. 20.

Martell, a fifth-year forward, collected one goal and three assists in two games at the Marion Hilliard Tournament hosted by the University of Toronto last weekend. Her strong play in both ends helped the Stingers win the prestigious championship. A native of Trenton, N.S., Martell is a leisure sciences major.

Bedawieh scored four goals in two critical games for the Stingers last week. He connected for both goals in Concordia's 2-0 victory over the Laval Rouge et Or on Friday night. Two days later, the fourth-year forward scored twice in the Stingers' 3-2 win over the Trois-Rivières Patriotes. He was named MVP in both games. Bedawieh is a civil engineering major from Amman, Jordan.

Coming Events

Friday, Oct. 25

Women's Soccer	Concordia @ UQAM	7 p.m.
Men's Soccer	Concordia @ UQAM	9 p.m.
Men's Basketball	@ Winnipeg Tournament	
	Concordia vs. Winnipeg	6:15 p.m.
Women's Basketball	@ Manitoba Tournament	
	Concordia vs. Brandon	2 p.m.
Women's Hockey	Concordia @ Carleton	2 p.m.
Men's Hockey	Ottawa @ Concordia	7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 26

Women's Hockey	McGill @ Concordia	2:15 p.m.
Men's Basketball	@ Winnipeg Tournament	
	Concordia vs. Manitoba	6:15 p.m.
Women's Basketball	@ Manitoba Tournament	
	Concordia vs. Manitoba	6 p.m.

Sunday, Oct. 27

Wrestling	Concordia Tournament	
Men's Rugby	QSSF semifinal	
	Bishop's @ Concordia	11 a.m.
Women's Soccer	McGill @ Concordia	1 p.m.
Men's Soccer	McGill @ Concordia	3 p.m.
Women's Rugby	QSSF Final	
	Concordia @ McGill (Macdonald campus)	1 p.m.
Men's Hockey	Concordia vs. McGill	7 p.m.
Women's Basketball	@ Manitoba Tournament	
	Concordia vs. Winnipeg	noon

* Football has a bye this week

Football (4-4 in the QIFC)

Oct. 19	Saint Mary's Huskies 49	Concordia Stingers 17
	Jean-Michel Paquette	4 receptions, 86 yards, 1 TD - 8 carries, 35 yards
	Graeme Burns	12 tackles
	Mickey Donovan	9 solo tackles

Men's Hockey (0-1 in OUA, 2-3 overall)

Oct. 18	UQTR Patriotes 4	Concordia Stingers 2
	Andrew Davis	1 goal
	Patrice Theriault	1 goal

Women's Hockey (1-0 in QSSF, 3-0-1 overall)

@ University of Toronto Marion Hillard Tournament

Oct. 19	Concordia Stingers 3	Mississauga Icebears 3
	Kendra MacDonald	1 goal
	Anouk Grignon-L' Anglais	1 goal
	Genevieve Dupuis	1 goal
Oct. 20	Concordia Stingers 3	Toronto Varsity Blues 1
	Leanne Martell	1 goal, 2 assists
	M.C. Allard	1 goal, 2 assists
	Sue Kaye	1 goal

Men's Basketball (3-1 in pre-season)

@ Wilfrid Laurier Challenge

Oct. 18	Concordia Stingers 64	Laurier Golden Hawks 53
	Rastko Popovic	16 points
	Jonathan Dresner	10 points
	Philippe Langlois	10 points
Oct. 19	Waterloo Warriors 75	Concordia Stingers 67
	Dilip Nayar	17 points
	Philippe Langlois	15 points

** Phil Langlois named tournament all-star team

Women's Basketball (0-2 in pre-season)

Oct. 18	Laurier Golden Hawks 72	Concordia Stingers 68 OT
	Pascale Morin	18 points, 6 rebounds
	Maria-José Raposo	11 points
Oct. 19	Waterloo Warriors 67	Concordia Stingers 62
	Pascale Morin	13 points
	Maria-José Raposo	13 points

Men's Rugby (6-2 in QSSF)

Oct. 20	Concordia Stingers 58	ETS 0
	Mark Mcknight	2 tries
	Jon Chiniborch	2 tries
	Jared Walker	2 tries
	Alfred Davis	2 tries

Women's Rugby (6-2 in QSSF, 7-2 overall, 1-0 in playoffs)

QSSF semifinal

Oct. 20	Concordia Stingers 27	Ottawa Gee-Gees 0
	Sommer Christie	2 tries
	Lindsay Belzie	1 try
	Shana Jean	1 try
	Julie Bertrand	1 try
	Krista Mackay	convert

Men's Soccer (6-3-1 in QSSF)

Oct. 18	Concordia Stingers 2	Laval Rouge et Or 0
	Ammar Bedawieh	2 goals
Oct. 20	Concordia Stingers 3	UQTR Patriotes 2
	Ammar Bedawieh	2 goals
	Steve Craig	1 goal

Women's Soccer (6-4-2 in QSSF)

Oct. 18	Laval Rouge et Or 2	Concordia Stingers 0
Oct. 20	Concordia Stingers 5	UQTR Patriotes 0
	Elisa Quaranta	2 goals
	Maggie Katz	1 goal
	Anne-Marie Lachapelle	1 goal
	Skye Moseley	1 goal

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